

TWO ROMAN GIRLS



Activity 1a

Copy the following sentences on the lines provided:

1. Flāvia est puella Rōmāna.

2. In pictūrā est Flāvia.

3. Cornēlia in villā vicīnā habitat.

Write English translations of the above sentences:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

What words have you included in your English translations that are not in the Latin?

_____ and _____

What are these words called? _____

Activity 1b

Translate the following sentences three ways, giving different translations for the verbs:

1. Puella Rōmāna sub arbore sedet.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

2. Flāvia in villā scrībit.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

The words *is* and *does* in the phrases *is sitting* and *does sit* are called *helping verbs*.

Do the Latin sentences in the story in Chapter 1 of *Meeting the Family* use this kind of verb? YES NO

How many times is the Latin verb *est* used in the story? _____

Is it a helping verb? YES NO

Translate into Latin:

1. The girl is reading. _____
2. The girl is sitting. _____

Look at the Latin sentences 1 and 2 on page 2 and your three English translations of them. For each sentence, describe one way in which the order of the Latin words differs from the order of the words in the translation:

1. _____

2. _____

Activity 1c

Fill in the blanks in this story, using the words and phrases in the box at the right (do not use a word or phrase more than once):

Flāvia in Italiā _____. Cornēlia etiam _____
habitat. Cornēlia _____ in villā rūsticā habitat. In villā _____
habitat Flāvia. Cornēlia _____, dum Flāvia _____. Flāvia est
laeta _____ Cornēlia _____ in villā habitat.

scrībit
habitat
quod
vīcīnā
legit
aestāte
in Italiā
iam

Now put an N above each noun, an A above each adjective, and a V above each verb in the sentences above.

Activity 1d

Translate into Latin:

1. Cornelia is now reading.

2. Who is writing under the tree?

3. Another girl is writing under the tree.

4. Flavia is happy because Cornelia is sitting under the tree.



Activity 1e

To what Latin words in Chapter 1 of *Meeting the Family* are the following English words related:

1. vicinity _____
2. nominate _____
3. habitat _____
4. is _____